THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERN ANDES): (a) to (e) As part of the existing Confidence Building Measures, military-to-military level exchanges have been taking place between India and China. Such exchanges are in the nature of goodwill visits and no formal discussions to resolve outstanding issues between two countries are held during such visits.

The visit by the Chinese delegation in September, 2001 was a part of such exchanges.

Publishing the Technical Reports by CEA

†*329. SHRI BALKAVI BAIRAGI: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of technical reports are published every year by Central Electricity Authority;

(b) if so, the details of reports published during last one year and those being prepared at present;

(c) whether the above reports have also been published originally in Hindi or after translation; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor and the action proposed to be taken against guilty officers for this lapse?

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SURESH PRABHU): (a) to (d) A number of technical reports arc published every year by Central Electricity Authority (CEA). A list of Reports published/ being published for the year 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 is enclosed as Statement I *(See* below). The list of those reports, which have been translated, and arc in the process of Publication is attached as Statement II *(See* below). Necessary action has already been initiated by the CEA for making translation in Hindi in respect of the remaining reports. This is scheduled to be completed by September, 2002.

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Statement I

A list of reports published in the year 2000-01

1. A National perspective plan for the renovation and modernization as well as life extension of the thermal power stations 2011-2012.
2. Performance reappraising of the thermal power stations 1996-97.
3. General Power Supply—All India Statistics—General Assessment 1997-98.
4. Power on demand 2012.
5. A National Plan for the R and M, up rating and life extension of hydro power stations (2011-12).
6. A perspective Plan for generation capacity augmentation—integrated operation of regional Powergrids (including the system variation).
7. Utilization of fly-ash.
8. Transmission and Tower installation.
9. Civil cost estimate of the hydro power projects.
10. Reports of the 16th electric power survey Committee.
11. Average Power Tariff rate in India, June, 2000.
12. Guidelines for renovation and modernization of the thermal power station.

REPORTS BEING PUBLISHED IN THE YEAR 2001-2002:

1. Performance reappraisal of hydro power station 1996-97.
2. Guidelines for renovation and modernization of the thermal power stations, June, 2000

Statement II

List of the translated reports published/being published in the year 2000-01 *and* 2001-2002.

1. A National perspective plan for the R and M as well as life extension of the thermal Power Stations 2011—12.

2. General Power Supply—All India Statistics—General Assessment.
3. A National perspective plan for the R and M, uprating and life extension of the hydro power stations (2011-2012).
4. Report of the 16th Electric Power Survey Committee.
5. Guidelines for renovation and modernization of the thermal power stations.

Decentralisation of the organisational structure of NTC

*330. SHRI J. CHITHARANJAN:
SHRI V.V. RAGHAVAN:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to restructure the present organisational set up of NTC which is based on the decision to close down a good number of mills and to revive a section of mills under it; and

(b) whether Government will consider the possibility of decentralising the organisational structure and to give autonomy to the management of each mill to purchase raw materials, to decide the terms of production, to fetch orders and to sell products?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI V. DHANANJAY KUMAR): (a) Organisational restructuring of NTC is dependent on the finalisation of Draft Rehabilitation Schemes by BIFR.

(c) Does not arise.

IPS Officer held in Dowry Case

*331. SHRI KHAGEN DAS: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item titled "IPS officer held for demanding Rs. 5 crore dowry" appearing in the Hindustan Times dated the 21st November, 2001;

(b) whether the alleged officer has since been suspended from